[Mr. N. K. Krishna Pillai.]

(*b*) whether the Board of Directors recommended anybody for that place ;

(*c*) whether the Government have refused to accept that recommendation, and, if so, on what grounds ;

(*d*) whether any communal consideration weighed with the Government in rejecting the recommendation of the Board ;

(*e*) whether the Board has been asked to recommend another name : and

(*f*) whether the appointment has been made ?

MR. R. NILAKANTA PILLAI (*Financial Secretary to Government*) ;

(*a*) Messrs.

1. Philipose Matthai, B. A., B L.
2. K. I. Chandi, B. A., B. L.
3. M. K. Krishnan Nayar, B. A., B. L.
4. A. J. Rama Varma Raja, B. A., B. L.
5. P. Habeeb Mahomed, M. A., B. L.
6. K. S. Govinda Pillai, B. A., B. L.
7. R. Kaimal, M. A., LL. B.
8. K. C. Chakko, B. A., B. L.
9. K. P. Madhavan Pillai, B. A., B. L.
10. R. Muthuswamy Aiyar, B. A., B. L.
11. V. Anantarama Aiyar.
12. A. George Varghese, B. A., B. L.
13. V. Setunatha Sarma, M. A., B. L.
14. H. Srinivasa Aiyar, B. A., B. L.
15. James Fletcher, B. A., LL. B.
16. T. K. Velu Pillai, B. A., B. L.
17. C. Oommen, B. A., B. L.
18. P. C. Eipe, B. A., B L.
19. M. K. Narayana Pillai, B. A., Barrister-at-Law.
20. K. Eapen, B. A., B. L.
21. M. Chockalingam Pillai, B. A., B. L.
22. A. J. John, B. A., B. L.
23. P. N. Madhavan Pillai, B. A., B. L.
24. K. Madhavan Unnittan, B. A., B. L.
25. S. Narayana Aiyar, M. A., B. L.

(*b*) Yes.

(*c*) Government accepted the recommendation of the Board of Management.

(*d*), (*e*) and (*f*) The questions do not arise.

Preservation of Malayazhma records in the C. V. Records Office.

279. MR. N. K. KRISHNA PILLAI (*Neyyattinkara*) : Will the Government be pleased to state whether some of the members of the last Sri Mulam Popular Assembly met the Dewan on a deputation and

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made a representation urging the immediate necessity of taking proper measures for the preservation of old *Malayazhma* records in the Central Vernacular Records Office and what action was taken thereon?

MR. K. GEORGE (*Chief Secretary to Government*): The representation is receiving attention.

MR. N. K. KRISHNA PILLAI (*Neyyattinkara*): What is the sort of attention that this matter has been receiving at the hands of Government?

MR. K. GEORGE (*Chief Secretary to Government*): A scheme has been drawn out; and, since it involves some financial demands, it has been forwarded to the Financial Secretary for his remarks.

MR. N. K. KRISHNA PILLAI (*Neyyattinkara*): May I know whether the scheme was drawn out after the representation was made?

MR. K. GEORGE (*Chief Secretary to Government*): No; before that.

MR. N. K. KRISHNA PILLAI (*Neyyattinkara*): May I know whether the scheme was drawn out in accordance with the proposals which, I understand, had been made by the officer in charge of the Section?

MR. K. GEORGE (*Chief Secretary to Government*): The scheme has been drawn up by the officer in charge of the Section himself; and he submitted it to Government before the representation was made in the Assembly.

MR. N. K. KRISHNA PILLAI (*Neyyattinkara*): So, am I to understand that, in pursuance of the representation made in the Assembly, practically nothing has been done?

MR. K. GEORGE (*Chief Secretary to Government*): There was no necessity to do anything on the representation in the Assembly, since a scheme, *on the lines suggested in the Assembly*, had already been prepared and submitted to Government.

MR. N. K. KRISHNA PILLAI (*Neyyattinkara*): May I know whether, in pursuance of the representation made by the members of the Assembly, the Dewan himself went and inspected this Records Office?

MR. K. GEORGE (*Chief Secretary to Government*): Yes; and I was also present with him then.

MR. N. K. KRISHNA PILLAI (*Neyyattinkara*): When was the scheme formulated?

MR. K. GEORGE (*Chief Secretary to Government*): The officer submitted the scheme in June 1931.

MR. N. K. KRISHNA PILLAI (*Neyyattinkara*): May I know whether that scheme related to the general reorganisation of the Records Office or only to the Malayalam Section of it?

MR. K. GEORGE (*Chief Secretary to Government*): All the records are in vernacular; the question as to how the *Malayazha* records must be dealt with was also included in the scheme.

MR. N. K. KRISHNA PILLAI (*Neyyattinkara*): Am I to understand that, in pursuance of the representation made by the members of the Sri Mulam Popular Assembly, with special reference to *Malayazhma* records, practically no action has been taken?

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MR. K. GEORGE (*Chief Secretary to Government*): I have already stated, Sir, that a scheme, on the lines suggested by the members of the Assembly, had already been drawn up, and had been forwarded by the Government to the Financial Secretary for his views on the financial aspect of the scheme.

MR. N. K. KRISHNA PILLAI (*Neyyattinkara*): May I know whether there is any prospect of the scheme being finally disposed of?

MR. K. GEORGE (*Chief Secretary to Government*): It depends on the finances at the disposal of Government.

Grant of loans from the Land Mortgage Bank.

280. **MR. N. K. KRISHNA PILLAI** (*Neyyattinkara*): (1) With reference to the applications for loans from the Land Mortgage Bank, will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a statement showing the total number of applications received up to date (25-8-1107) and also the total amount applied for, as distributed among the several taluks of the State?

(2) Will the Government be pleased to state;

(*a*) how many of the applications are from Government officers as such and how many from agriculturists and the amounts applied for from these two classes, respectively;

(*b*) how many applications were rejected by the Board; and

(*c*) how many times the Board of Directors of the Bank met?

MR. R. NILAKANTA PILLAI (*Financial Secretary to Government*):

		Rs.
(1) 120	...	1,92,883
Tovala	...	4
Trivandrum	...	9
Neduvangad	...	2
Pattanapuram	...	3
Changanachery	...	18
Kottayam	...	8
Kartikapalli	...	7
Ambalapuzha	...	9
Quilon	...	
Pattanamtitta	...	11
Karunagapalli	...	7
Mavelikara	...	3
Todupuzha	...	
Muvattupuzha	...	
Tiruvalla	...	
Minachil	...	11
Neyyattinkara	...	3
Chirayinkil	...	2
Vaikam	...	1
Kunnattur	...	2

(2) (*a*) There are no applications from Government officers as such.

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